

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the matter of proposed revisions to the  
rules governing electrical supply and com-  
munication lines and associated equipment.

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Case No. U-11288

At the August 25, 1997 meeting of the Michigan Public Service Commission in Lansing, Michigan.

PRESENT: Hon. John G. Strand, Chairman  
Hon. John C. Shea, Commissioner  
Hon. David A. Svanda, Commissioner

**ORDER FORMALLY ADOPTING RULE**

On April 10, 1997, the Commission adopted revisions to Rule 3 of its rules governing electrical supply and communication lines and associated equipment, R 460.813. The Legislative Service Bureau issued its certificate of approval on April 18, 1997. The Office of Regulatory Reform approved the legality of the proposed rule revisions on April 24, 1997.

The Commission FINDS that:

a. Jurisdiction is pursuant to 1909 PA 106, as amended, MCL 460.551 et seq.; MSA 22.151 et seq.; 1919 PA 419, as amended, MCL 460.51 et seq.; MSA 22.1 et seq.; 1939 PA 3, as amended, MCL 460.1 et seq.; MSA 22.13(1) et seq.; 1969 PA 306, as amended, MCL 24.201 et seq.; MSA 3.560(101) et seq.; and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, as amended, 1992 AACS, R 460.17101 et seq.

b. The requirements of the Administrative Procedures Act of 1969, as amended, MCL 24.201 et seq.; MSA 3.560(101) et seq., have been satisfied, and the revisions to Rule 3 of the Commission's rules governing electrical supply and communication lines and associated equipment should be formally adopted.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that:

A. The revisions to Rule 3 of the Commission's rules governing electrical supply and communication lines and associated equipment, R 460.813, which is attached to this order, are formally adopted.

B. The revised rule, bearing the required certificates of approval and adoption, shall be transmitted to the Office of the Governor and filed with the Secretary of State for promulgation pursuant to the Administrative Procedures Act of 1969, as amended, MCL 24.201 et seq.; MSA 3.560(101) et seq.

The Commission reserves jurisdiction and may issue further orders as necessary.

Any party desiring to appeal this order must do so in the appropriate court within 30 days after issuance and notice of this order, pursuant to MCL 462.26; MSA 22.45.

MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

John G. Strand  
Chairman

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John C. Shea  
Commissioner

David A. Svanda  
Commissioner

By its action of August 25, 1997.

Dorothy Wideman  
Executive Secretary

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Suggested Minute:

“Adopt and issue order dated August 25, 1997 formally adopting revisions to Rule 3 of the Commission’s rules governing electrical supply and communication lines and associated equipment, R 460.813, as set forth in the order.”

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND INDUSTRY SERVICES

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

ELECTRICAL SUPPLY AND COMMUNICATION LINES AND ASSOCIATED  
EQUIPMENT

Filed with the Secretary of State on September 17, 1997.  
This rule takes effect 15 days after filing with the Secretary of State

(By authority conferred on the public service commission by section 7 of Act No. 106 of the Public Acts of 1909, as amended, sections 4 and 6 of Act No. 3 of the Public Acts of 1939, as amended, and section 5 of Act No. 419 of the Public Acts of 1919, as amended, being §§460.557, 460.4, 460.6, and 460.55 of the Michigan Compiled Laws)

R 460.813 of the Michigan Administrative Code is amended to read as follows:

R 460.813 Standards of good practice; adoption by reference.

Rule 3. Parts 1, 2, and 3 and sections 1, 2, 3, and 9 of the national electrical safety code, 1997 edition (ANSI-C2-1997), are adopted by reference in these rules as standards of accepted good practice. Parts 1, 2, and 3 and sections 1, 2, 3, and 9 of the national electrical safety code, 1997 edition (ANSI-C2-1997), are available from the Michigan Public Service Commission, P.O. Box 30221, Lansing, MI 48909, at a cost as of the time of adoption of this rule of 5 cents per page, plus \$15.12 per hour of labor plus postage, or from The Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Service Center, P.O. Box 1331, Piscataway, NJ 08855-1331, at a cost as of the time of adoption of this rule of \$63.00.